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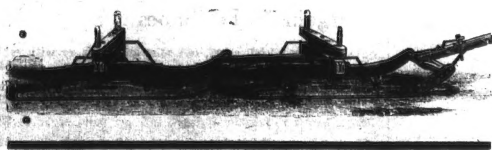
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We want to reduce our stock before taking our inventory, hence this extremely low price on Stanfield's Red Label Shirts and drawers and Combinations. Sizes 34 to 42 per suit \$5.00

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MEN'S ONE BUCKLE OVERSHOES

First quality rubber and heavy waterproof cloth tops, fleece lined. Plain or rolled edge. Sizes 6 to 11.

Plain edge, per pair \$3.75

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Boy's one buckle overshoes, same as above, sizes 1 to 5, pair 2.35

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Mens' two buckle overshoes, sizes 7 to 11, per pair \$3.75

Women's one buckle overshoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, per pair \$2.50

Misses one buckle overshoes, sizes 11 to 2, per pair \$1.80

Women's two buckle overshoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, per pair \$3.00

Misses 2 buckle overshoes, sizes 11 to 2, per pair \$2.75

Bargains in Felt Shoes

Men's heavy all felt shoes, felt soles and heels, or with rubber heels. Per pair \$3.25

Women's heavy all felt shoes, felt soles and heels. Sizes 3 to 5 only, per pair \$2.25

Boys' heavy all felt shoes, sizes 1 to 5, per pair \$2.25

Youth's heavy all felt shoes, sizes 11 to 13, per pair \$2.00

Men's all felt shoes, sizes 11 to 13, per pair \$3.00

Men's all felt shoes leather soles and heels, to wear inside overshoes, sizes 6 to 11 \$3.00

Health Report M. D. 399

The following report was handed in at the last meeting of the council of the above municipality. Gentlemen:

As chairman of the Board of Health for this municipality, I wish to report as follows.

Number of cases of influenza reported 200

Number of cases in hospital 2

Number at present 2

Number of Deaths 1

When the council appointed a Board of Health, we were threatened with an epidemic of influenza, which has been and is a serious menace to the public health.

As soon as the epidemic assumed dangerous proportions, a hospital to care for those that could not be properly cared for where they were living was opened in the Town of Lacombe, and your board entered into an agreement with the town to pay our share of the expense of operating same according to the number of patients that the municipal district had in it.

We do not know at the present time what the amount for that purpose will be, as the epidemic is not past yet and we have some cases in the hospital at present. We have done everything in our power to enforce the Provincial Health regulation, and at present we are following the advice of Dr. W. J. Simpson, M.O. of H. Lacombe. We have had many urgent requests from residents of our municipality for nurses and help for outside work which had to be attended to all of which were supplied within a few hours of the time the request was made. Throughout the fight against this epidemic the utmost harmony and good will existed between the medical profession, nursing profession, volunteer nurses and the residents of the municipality and in almost every instance everyone has done all in their power to help us in every possible way to care for the sick and prevent the spread of the disease. The death rate in this municipality, I think is as low if not lower than in any rural municipality in the Province, and when we consid-

er the number of deaths in cities, towns and other rural municipalities, people of M. D. 399 owe a debt of gratitude to doctors, nurses and all those who helped attend the sick and the Board of Health wishes to sincerely thank all those who have helped in any way to combat the epidemic with such good results.

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The Nation needs strong men and the right time to begin to build up strong manhood is during the growing period of childhood. Many mothers remember, with keen satisfaction, the days when

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Canada Entering Upon Greater Era, Says Borden

Ottawa, Dec. 31.—Sir Robert Borden has addressed the following New Year's message to the Canadian people.

London, Dec. 30, 1918.

"To the people of Canada:—

"We enter the new year upon the morrow of the most startling and significant event ever chronicled in the history of humanity. During the past two months great empires have been extinguished, governments founded in absolute held in bondage have been liberated, new nations and with them untold international relations have sprung into existence.

"The victory which has been won by the forces of liberty and justice, makes possible a higher and enduring victory which will secure to a war desolated world the solemn and certain assurance of lasting peace. Unless that assurance can be given, and fulfilled, present civilization rests on unstable foundations. Centuries of slow and painful progress have culminated in a world wide struggle rendered infinitely more terrible by the advancement of science and by increased control over the forces which nature has placed at the disposal of mankind.

"The approaching peace conference must in the first place address itself to the establishment of a new world order of peace. The proposal is confronted by difficulties and complexities which it is almost impossible to over-estimate. So to control the material and territorial ambitions and jealousies of nations that their power and influence shall be held in trust for the common purpose of maintaining the world's peace and of punishing lawlessness or aggression by any recalcitrant state is a task of almost incredible difficulty. Yet the sacrifice the suffering and the sorrow through which humanity has passed imperatively demand that the nobler victory shall be won.

"Attendant upon the task are a score of questions not easy of solution and involving economic, financial and territorial considerations, each of sufficient magnitude and intricacy to engage the full attention of the approaching council of nations.

"The deliberations of the peace conference will touch closely the present and future interests of Canada at almost every point. For that reason, and because it was urged upon me by highest authorities that terms of peace were already under consideration, I arrived in England more than a month ago. Since then I have been closely occupied with my colleagues in deliberations respecting the conditions of peace and in preparations for the coming peace conference.

"Four years ago our country, absorbed as it was in internal problems of development, was inevitably brought into a conflict which vitally affected the destiny of British states. The deliberations now in progress for assuring the world peace are thus of infinite concern to us as to all the nations. I realize that my duty as a prime minister demands my close attention to the affairs of the people who more than a year ago entrusted me with so high a mandate; but I am convinced that during these deliberations, or at least, until definite conclusions shall have been reached, my first duty to my country demands me to be here. As Canada has worthily and unselfishly taken a proud part in the struggle now happily ended, so must she take a not less worthy and conspicuous part in achieving results without which her sacrifice and that of all the nations would be meaningless.

"The burdens with which the future confronts us are heavy, but they are insignificant in comparison with the heritage which is ours. With solemn thankfulness for the blessing of peace, and animated in spite of all war weariness by the spirit which has hitherto maintained our purpose, let us face the new year with courage, with determination, and with confidence.

(Signed) "R. L. Borden."

Little Local Notes

Married man wants situation on farm. Experience. Enquire at Western Globe Office.

The annual meeting of the Lacombe Wool Grower's Association will be held in the town hall, Lacombe, on Saturday, January 11th, at 2 p.m. sharp. As business of importance is to be transacted, a full attendance is looked for.

Cheques are being mailed this week to the wool growers in full for their 1918 wool crop. Lacombe has come out exceedingly well this season, in fact the price received here being the highest in the province.

Miss Elsie James of Wetaskiwin is spending a few days in Lacombe visiting with her brother Mr. Harry James.

With our linotype operator laid up with the "flu" for a week, and the Christmas and New Year's holidays on the side, it has been strenuous work to get out any kind of a paper this week.

Word has been received that Grover Calkins has landed in Halifax, and will probably be home on Monday next. He is one of 151 boys, and was badly wounded last summer.

A crank for a Chevrolet car was lost on Barnett ave. Please return to this office.

Miss May Helm, for some time chief operator at the telephone office, Lacombe has resigned to Study telegraphy at Alberta College, Edmonton. Her many friends wish her all success.

Cow and Calf For Sale
Milk cow and heifer calf, four months old for sale. Apply to Oscar Watt, Phone 145, P. O. Box 277, Lacombe.

Miss L. Coverdale has accepted a position with the Alberta government telephone, here.

Rinks skipped by Messrs. Trimble and Jackson, defeated two Red Deer rinks on the local ice on New Year's Day. The games were well contested.

Seed Grain For Sale
1000 bushels of Marquis Wheat which is the 2nd crop grown from 1st generation registered seed and graded No. 1 northern by the government inspector, also Alberta Red Winter Wheat and Banner Oats. Apply to Robert P. Fahrback, R. R. No. 1, Blackfalds, Alta.

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Wanted

Teams to deliver 20,000 ties, will let the contract, good roads, average haul five miles. 7 1/2 cents per tie. Apply W. A. Allen, Rocky Mountain House, Alta.

Estray

One yearling red steer, with horns. White spot in forehead. No visible brand or other marks. Geo. A. Graham.

In The District Court of the District Of Red Deer—In the Matter.

Of the Estate of Andrew J. Peters Deceased

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of Andrew J. Peters, who died at the City of Spokane, in the State of Washington, are required to file with the undersigned by the Thirty first day of January, 1919, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any security held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the estate of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with the undersigned.

Dated this 18th day of December, A.D. 1918.
Edwin H. Jones,
Solicitor for the Administrator.
Box 145, Lacombe.

Your Eyes

Now when the holiday rush is over would be a good time to have your eyes fitted with glasses that will enable you to receive the proper impressions of objects which you may desire to behold during 1919, and we hope for many years thereafter. Our optical department for the time being is under the management of Mr. George Hotson, who has lately completed an "ADVANCED COURSE" at the Canadian Ophthalmic College Toronto, having graduated with honors from the leading institute of its class in Canada. Thanking you for your kind patronage and wishing you all a very Happy New Year. Yours,

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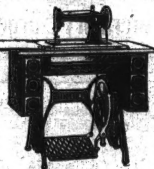
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CLOSING MEETING OF M. D.
CROWN FOR YEAR 1918

The Council of the above district met in the Adelphi Hotel the following councillors being present: Jas. Sage, J. McLennan, B. M. Gibson, A. P. Rainforth and J. Lockerby, with Jas. Sage, Reeve in chair.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and it was moved by Lockerby that they be adopted as read. Carried.

Gibson—That petitions be the first business taken up. Carried. Gibson—That a herd by-law be drafted taking in the portions of the district from which petitions have been procured. Carried.

All correspondence was read except that from the Provincial Board of Health.

Gibson—That all the correspondence from the Provincial Dep. of Public Health be tabled for the present. Carried.

Gibson—That letter regarding seed grain be placed on file. Carried.

Gibson—That secretary be instructed to notify the Department that council wish to take a vote of the ratepayers on Hail Insurance.

an that he secure several copies of the act for the use of the councillors. Carried.

Gibson—That the work referred to by Mr. M. Carty be tabled for further information. Carried.

McLennan—That owing to the conditions that prevail within the Municipality at present, the school districts within the municipality will remain as they are at present in regards to the collection of school taxes in School districts. Carried.

Gibson—That the council of M. D. of Crown 399 approve of the change in the Edmonton trail as shown on the Blue print and ask the department to make the change already asked for on S.W. 4.

2-40-27-w4 following a road allowance between Secs. 1 and 2 for a portion at the north end along the S. W. 4 Sec. 2 of 40-27 w4. Carried.

McLennan that the following accounts be passed and ordered paid: G. P. Vickers 6.50

A. M. Campbell 25

Atlas Lumber Co. 34.32

Dr. W. J. Simpson 6.35

A. T. Inskip 12.00

A. Liddingham 9.00

H. W. Bieble 85

H. Langrock 5.00

Trimble and Garland 4.30

H. W. Birch 3.00

Wm. Swanson 10.00

Carried.

Lockerby—That the following Labor pay sheets be passed the chairman authorized to sign and treasurer instructed to pay the same, the amount being \$256.72. Carried.

Sage—That the returning Officer be paid at the rate of four dollars per day and ten cents per mile travelled. Carried.

Sage—That deputy returning Officer be paid at the rate of \$3.00 per day and ten cents per mile travelled in delivering ballot boxes. Carried.

Gibson—That John Flack be appointed returning officer. Carried.

Sage that the following persons be appointed deputy returning officers and also the several places as polling booths.

Thos. Armstrong, Jones Valley School.

A. J. Caverhill, Brookfield School.

E. W. Simpson, Canyon School.

A. F. Neilson, Cross Roads School.

O. Hedenmark, Aspelund School.

E. E. Mathias, Blackfins School.

Geo. J. Doherty, Aspen Beach.

Wm. Swanson, U. F. A. Hall Spruceville.

W. D. Reid, Mountain Grove S.

Geo. Whitelaw, Lacombe.

H. Flewelling, Central School.

Geo. Sargeant, Sargeant's house.

Alec May, F. May's House.

Geo. Grant, J. W. Fawcett's house.

F. Butcher, F. Butcher's house.

J. A. Bradley, J. Bradley's house.

Carried.

Rainforth—Gibson That Jas. Sage be a voting delegate at the coming convention at Calgary. Carried.

Lockerby—Sage That R. M. Gibson be a voting delegate at the coming convention in Calgary. Carried.

Lockerby—That all the councillors and secretary attend the convention to be held at Calgary, each party paying his own expenses above and beyond his proportion out of the fifty dollars allowed by the M. D. Act for delegates expenses to convention. Carried.

Gibson—That the By laws No. 7, 8, and 9 relating to Short weights and measurement, Drunkenness, obscene language, etc., and cruelty to animals be read a first time. Carried.

Rainforth—That by-law No. 10 relating to animals running at large be read a first time. Carried.

Rainforth—That bl laws No. 7, 8, and 9 be read a second and third time. Carried.

Lockerby—That by law No. 10 be read a second time. Carried.

McLennan—That R. M. Gibson, and secretary be allowed the sum of \$50.00 for their time and expenses connected with the Flu Epidemic, and the thanks of the council. Carried.

Lockerby that the following account of the several councillors be passed and ordered paid.

Div. No. 1, Jas. Sage 103.00

Div. No. 2 P. M. McLennan 126.00

Div. No. 3, R. M. Gibson 128.70

Div. No. 4 112.00

Div. No. 5 93.90

Div. No. 6 110.00

Sage—That the secretary treasurer be paid \$500.00 on Salary. Carried.

The minutes of the above meeting were then read and it was moved by Lockerby that they be adopted as read. Carried.

E. Walter Simpson, Sec.-Treas. M. D. Crown No. 399 Jas. Sage, Deputy Reeve.

Iowalta Notes

The annual meeting of the Progressive School District No. 561 will be held on Saturday Jan. 11 all ratepayers are requested to be present to see where their taxes are going to. If the school had a coat of brown wash and the fence a coat of white wash, it would add greatly to the appearance of the place.

Strayed

From my place S. W. S. 80, Tp. 42 Range 27 W. 4th Meridian. One coming 2 year old red heifer. Branded T 5 with bar underneath on left shoulder. Finder please notify.

R. F. Rowland, R. R. 3, Lacombe. Last seen about 1st of Oct.

MARES ESTRAY

A suitable reward will be paid for the recovery of one brown mare, 4 years, also one black mare with white face and white feet and legs. Both branded B E with bar over on right shoulder. Notify

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No. 1 Sides per lb 14½c.
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House for Sale

Most desirable residence; new; 24x36; concrete foundation; six large rooms and pantry; built on lot 50x220 feet in a splendid location in Lacombe; good water; is offered for sale at \$1450.00. This is a snap and is only open for a short time. If you are interested write or call at Western Globe Office.

O. I. O. Boats for Sale

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On N. E. 1/4 of 241-26-4 is a quantity of Wheat, Barley and Oats good for seed. Tenders asked to cut and haul 40,000 loaves growing on the above land. Apply on the farm or to 207 2nd ave. N.E. Calgary D18-2c.

EWEES FOR SALE

I have for sale at my place, two miles north of Lacombe one hundred head of good grade ewes. Phone 506; P.O. Box 201, Lacombe G.H. Kent.

For Rent N. W. 4-19-40-25. Cash rent but allowance made for breaking with F. E. Barber, Coleridge, Neb.

WANTED

Teacher Wanted
Teacher for Wilmot S. R. 2844. Apply stating salary and qualifications to John E. Badie, R. R. 3, Lacombe D18-1c

Well Digging

If you want a good stock well, call on Robert Hall Lacombe Alberta. Experience well digger and water locator. Get information at Western Globe Office. D11-4p

ESTRAY

Roan Heifer with calf at side, branded, G on hip. Address C. W. Samuelson, three miles north of Chigwell. Post office address, Lacombe. D. 18-3p

STEER ESTRAY

Red yearling steer, branded as above on left hip. Finder please notify Slaughter and Son, Bentley, Alberta. D-4-tfc

Estray

On farm of Baker Bros. N. W. 4-41-24-4. Roan yearling steer. Tip of right ear missing. No visible brands. Jas. Tees, Brand Reader. D18-3p

Estray

On farm of D. Foren, N. E. 4-41-25, red and white heifer with male calf at side. White on face, belly and brush, no visible brand, cow between three and four years old. JAS. TEES, Brand Reader.

ESTRAY

Two red Polled Heifer calves, (spring calves), one red yearling steer calf. No brands. Reward for information. Apply E. Clemens, Morningstar. (Phone 1812 Ponoka). D18-3c.

Mare Estray

At my place, black mare, weighing about 1000 lbs. with foal at side, had bell on. Mare about 11 years old, blind in left eye. No brand. Owner apply to Fred Rencher, 2 1/2 miles south of Bentley.

Steer Lost

Black Angus yearling steer, frozen ears. Notify Theo Reynolds, R. R. 1, Lacombe. D18-3p

ALLEGED HORSE RUSTLERS ARE ROUNDED UP HERE

There was considerable excitement in Lacombe and the district to the south-east, last week, when Herbert Welton, R. Richardson, and C. C. Curtis, all well known here, were placed under arrest and taken to Edmonton on a horse stealing charge. Bail was fixed at \$10,000 each for the former, while the latter we understand has been admitted to bail. This case is a wonderful example of nerve on the part of whoever is guilty. The horses in question, consisting of sixteen or seventeen well bred animals, were all stolen at one time from Jas. L. Walters of Olive, driven into Lacombe at night and shipped to the Edmonton market and sold by auction. When Mr. Walters got wise to the fact that his stock had been run off, he immediately got busy, and detective Scott, of the Provincial Force was put on the case. Scott was not long in locating the animals and within ten or twelve hours from the time he was put on the case, the three suspects were in the Edmonton Jail. Welton and Richardson were arrested at the farm of the letter, and when the place was searched, a keg of whiskey was found, and for this Welton was fined \$50.00 and costs, which he paid. There is joy in the S.E. district over what appears to be an attempt on the part of the authorities to clean up a district long under suspicion, and a district in which stock has been disappearing for the past twenty years. It is suspected that there is a well organized bunch of rustlers operating from Lacombe to as far east as Coronation, and it is known that hundreds of head of horses and cattle have mysteriously disappeared from the ranges, having evidently been shipped out from five Red Deer, Lacombe and other points. The country down there is beautifully adapted for cattle rustling, there being innumerable caches in the hills where a large herd could be kept for months, and there is always lots of good feed. It is thought that the recent arrests will have a good effect on those suspected of engaging in this nefarious business, and that from now on complaints will be greatly reduced.

Presentation to M. Douglas
At the meeting of M.D. Crown, held last week, Marshall Douglas, who has been reeve for 1918, was presented with the following address and a case of pipes, by the other members of the Council.

Dear Mr. Douglas:
We felt it our duty at this time, as we are about to close the year 1918, to offer you some mark of esteem and respect. At the opening meeting of the council you were elected reeve, and now at the close you can look back with pride and satisfaction upon your record in the chair. At all times and upon all occasions you have done your duty with tact and sound judgment. Between you as reeve and ourselves, councillors there has existed a bond of mutual help and confidence which has carried us through the year in harmony and good will. You have been kind and courteous ready to give your sound advice and judgment to any of us when required; genial in your relationship with us and sincere in promoting the good name of the municipality.

We sincerely regret that owing to an attack of influenza you are not permitted to be with us at this closing meeting of the year, but hope your recovery will be speedy and complete. May you and Mrs. Douglas be long spared to enjoy years of health and prosperity.

Before leaving this council chamber today, we ask that you accept from us this case of pipes as a memento of our esteem and good wishes. It may serve to remind you of the year of your reevehip and what all the year meant to you and us.

Died From Pneumonia
—o—
We this week received a letter from B. E. Bailey, from Los Angeles, Cal. in which is contained the sad intelligence, that his daughter Bernice, well known to all in Lacombe, had died from influenza and complications, on December 19th, and was interred in the local cemetery on December 21st. The many friends of the family in Lacombe will sincerely sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Bailey in this great bereavement. Mr. Bailey reports that the epidemic is raging in California and that the schools and other institutions are all closed.

J. A. Tegart's PUBLIC SALE

Four miles north and nine miles west of Rimbey. Seven and a half miles north of Leduc, commencing at 11 o'clock sharp on

MONDAY JAN. 6

Farm Stock Implements Horses and Cattle

Bay Mare 9 years old, Bay Horse 10 years old, Five-months-old Filly colt, Buckskin Mare 9 years old, saddle and driver

Cattle
Five 3- and 4-year old cows, to calve April and May, 3 spring calves 1 yearling steer.

1 Brood Sow, 6 Shoats, 12 chickens.

MACHINERY

Deering 8-ft. binder, Disc Drill, 3 sec. Lever harrow, Disc, 2 breaking Plows, Adam's wagon, Set Adams Shighs, Grindstone, 2 new 24 inch pipe wrenches, Set new double block 2 pump heads, new Red Jacket Pump, 110 feet inch and a quarter pipe and inner rods for same, 1 1/4 Frost cylinder, 1 1/2 gas engine, and pump jack, 1000 ft. lumber, Stock Saddle, 6 Sets harness, log chains, forks shovels, axes, etc.

Household Goods

2 good rifles, Gasoline lamp, Iron Bed and springs, For hot rubber Stoves, and Stove wood, Barrels 40 quarts Blueberry preserves, 1 churn.

150 bushels good Marquis Wheat 80 bushels oats, 100 bush Potatoes.

C. F. Damron Auct'r

Terms Cash Lunch at Noon

JOHN WATT'S

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Three miles west and one mile North of Lavesta. Commencing at 11 o'clock on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 7

Farm Stock, Implements, etc.

1 team bay mares, 7 years old, wt. 2800, in foal; 1 bay mare 5 years old, weight 1200, in foal; 1 bay mare 11 years old, weight 1200, in foal, 2 colts.

Cattle Hogs, Etc.

1 fresh milk cow; 1 brood sow and 7 shoats; 30 hens. Grain Hay and Potatoes.

250 bushels of wheat; 50 bushels Rye; 30 bushels of Barley; 80 bushels of Oats; 100 bushels of potatoes; 25 loads of straw.

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Cow Estray

One red and white cow, about 4 years old, stub horns, no visible brand. Apply S.E. 2-40-26, E. A. Rowland, Lacombe.

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Calf Estray

At my place eleven miles west and one mile north of Blackfalds. One Spring heifer calf, Shorthorn breeding. No visible brand. Been here for past month. Owner notify Andrew J. Boe, Blackfalds. Dec. 26-3p.

Cattle Estray

\$50.00 reward per head will be paid for the discovery of five head of cattle, described as follows: 1 Small two-year-old steer, color brindle, left ear off; 1 two-year-old heifer and calf, color red, heifer branded E. O. with half diamond, on right rib; one red and white yearling heifer and one red yearling steer with horns, rest dehorned; four branded CH with quarter circle under on right hip. Apply H. C. Barnhill, Phone 808, Olive. D14-4c.

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In The District Court of the District of Red Deer—In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew J. Peters Deceased

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of Andrew J. Peters, who died at the City of Spokane, in the State of Washington, are required to file the undersigned by the Thirty first day of January, 1919, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any security held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the estate of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with the undersigned.

Dated this 18th day of December, A.D. 1918.

Edwin H. Jones, Solicitor for the Administrator. Box 143, Lacombe.

NOTICE

Tenders for the purchase of the North-east quarter of Section one (1) Township forty (40) Range twenty-six (26), West of the fourth meridian, will be received by the undersigned up to an including the 19th day of February, 1919; all offers to be in writing and signed.

Dated at Edmonton, Alberta, this 12th day of December, A.D. 1918.

PARLEE, FREEMAN & LOGAN C.P.R. Bldg., Edmonton, Alberta. Solicitors for Mortgage.

Mare Estray

Came to my place two weeks ago, heavy bay mare, 7 years old, indistinct brand on right thigh. Four year expenses and remove. T. R. NUNN, 1 mile east, 1 mile north of Lacombe. Jan 1-3p.

Want about 100 ewes on shares, for term of years. T. R. NUNN, for term of Lacombe. T. R. NUNN, Box 351.

Mares Estray

Grey Mare, crippled in right front foot, weight about 1450; also one blue mare, bald face, shod in front. Both had halters on. Supposed to be headed for Olive. Left Rimbey several days ago. Reward for information. Apply to C. H. Swartz, Phone 411 Rimbey.

Gelding Estray

Came to my place on Dec. 25, bay gelding (clyde) with white star in forehead, two hind legs white from hoof to fetlock, weight about 1400. No visible brand. Owner will call for same and pay costs. Apply John Larsen, six miles west and two north of Blackfalds. Sec. 34-39-28, w4, J1c.

Strayed

From my place 6 miles west of Morningside. About June 15th, 1918. One sorrel stud colt rising 3 years old. Branded UT on left shoulder, 3 yearling colts branded UT left shoulder. One rising 3 year Clyde Mare, color bay or brown, white face, heavy black mane and tail. No visible brand. Suitable reward. Finder Please Notify H. E. Rowland, R. R. 3 Lacombe.

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We shall be glad to welcome you to Our Meetings.

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We wish to announce to our patrons that we have opened in Bentley with a full stock of general hardware, and will be pleased to have your patronage. The business is in charge of Len McDowell, who has been with us in Lacombe for several years, and you can be assured of strict attention to your needs in the hardware line.

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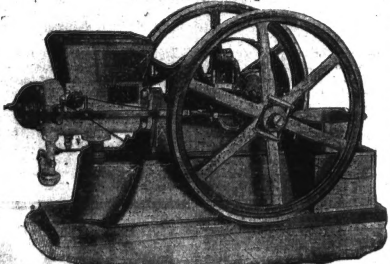
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Bentley Notes

A few weeks ago we published an article of Election News regarding the Municipal Council of No. 400 and dealing in particular with the Calkins Valley representative. We prefaced this item with a note to the effect that it was not our production and we would not be possible for it. We are sorry now that we sent it, but we were rather afraid to offend the person who had sent the item in. We do not know the individual, but we have discovered that this gentleman put one over on us, as he had sent the same item to the publisher and had been refused publication, so he had a second try on us and was successful. We are sorry, firstly—because it appears now that the chief purpose of the item was to harm someone, secondly—because it was a blotch upon our news columns and thirdly—we are getting all the blame for it. This last is quite unfortunate as we are not in the newspaper line as a business and have no desire to do anything with this page but the good of the general public. It is only fair to Mr. Palm that we publish part of a letter which we received a few days ago. We do not care to quote all of it, because there is a good deal of abuse heaped upon us. "We have no ill will for Mr. Robson as a nominee for councillor, but Mr. Palm has filled the position credibly and he is a gentleman,—and we sincerely hope that he will honor us by accepting the position again. We think we know one hundred others who share our view in this matter."

We sincerely hope that all who read the first item will read this and the matter will be cleared up. Now that we have dealt with this matter there is another to be mentioned. We have received several news items and letters which have no signature attached. From this time on, we will pay no attention to any communication which has not attached to it the name and land location. This is simply to let us know the source of information. When it is a news item, of course the name will not be for publication but if a letter comes to us expressing private opinions regarding any question of individual the name must be published and we reserve the right to withhold any such letter from the press. We will try to use the utmost caution and allow no prejudice to guide our opinions or actions on these matters.

The Lacombe and Blindman railway have issued another timetable effective Dec. 30th. There will be three trains a week. Monday and Friday train will leave Bentley at 9:30 a.m. and arrive in Lacombe 10:45 a.m. returning it will leave Lacombe at 2:30 p.m. and arrive in Bentley at 3:45 p.m. On Wednesday the train will leave Bentley at 3:00 p.m. arrive in Lacombe at 4:15 p.m. and returning leave Lacombe at 4:45 and arrive Bentley at 6:00 p.m. No freight or express will be carried on Wednesday.

The Annual meeting of the Stephenson S.D. No. 640 will be held in the schoolhouse Monday, January 6th 1919 at 2 p.m.

The Xmas Trees at Rainy Creek and Bentley on Monday and Tuesday nights were unusual affairs as custom goes but everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. The trees were very pretty in their decorations, and the Kildies had their treat just the same. The concert part was lacking, but everyone had a chance to visit and that is something to be enjoyed after the long close season we have had.

A very successful box social and entertainment was held in the Stephenson schoolhouse on Friday evening Dec. 27th. This social was organized by the officers of the school district in response to an appeal from the Red Cross Headquarters. There were a fine lot of pretty boxes and these showed the interest of the ladies. About 11 p.m. C. F. Dameron began the sale of the boxes. He prefaced the sale with a few remarks as to the need for interest and funds for the Red Cross. Mr. Dameron has always evidenced a great interest in the Red Cross and has lent his ability and influence freely. After the baskets were sold and lunch disposed of the clerk balanced up the books and found a net sum of \$79.50 for the Red Cross. This amount was not as large as some expected, but this splendid amount is very acceptable. The war is almost over, we hope, but the Red Cross Society has still great demands upon its funds. For a year or two there will still be men in the hospitals needing many of the supplies from Red Cross Headquarters. Along with this the Society is getting out new samples of clothing to be sent to

the destitute peoples in the war areas. There are many thousands if not millions of these sufferers so our interest and support is still needed badly. If the other school districts of our valley and district would follow the lead of the secretary (Mr. Alfred Haarstad) and trustees of the Stephenson S.D., the exchequer of the local Red Cross Society would soon present a very respectable balance. Who will be the next to take up the good work?

A very enjoyable Xmas tree was held at the Centreview schoolhouse on Monday evening before Xmas. There was a large turnout and everyone seemed to be happy. The school children under the able direction of Miss Beveridge put on a splendid programme and the school district with the assistance of Santa Clause provided a treat for the boys and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Chapman spent Xmas with the Brooks family at Rainy.

The Morton family who were the last in this part of the valley to have the influenza, are all recovered.

We have heard several favorable comments upon the carol singing, with which a few of the Bentley young folk entertained some of the 'shut ins' on Christmas eve. One of the favored ones remarked since that they would rather have that than a twenty-dollar bill. This is an ancient custom which could be adopted more regularly to the profit of all concerned.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Vance and son Stanley, of Edmonton are spending the New Years Holiday with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Fawcett and mother, Mrs. P. A. Clapp, at the parsonage.

The Annual Meeting of the Oxford (Bentley) school district will be held in the schoolhouse on Saturday, January 4th at 2 p.m. The annual report will be received and one trustee will be elected for 3 years. Mr. H. Thorp was elected some time ago to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of H. W. Birch. There should be a good turnout of the ratepayers to show their interest in School affairs.

Mr. H. Dameron and family of Chigwell spent Xmas here with the Clan Dameron.

Word was received from Miss Doris Taylor this week that she had been accepted as a nurse-in-training at one of the hospitals in Victoria. All Miss Taylor's friends will be pleased to hear of this, as this has been her ambition for some time. Mrs. Taylor received a cablegram a few days ago from friends in England saying that Geoffrey Taylor was spending Christmas with them. This was doubtless much nicer than spending it in a prison camp in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crawford left on Tuesday for Edmonton to spend new years.

Canadian Soldiers Killed When Train Leaves Rails

Edmonton, N.E., Jan. 1.—A shocking railway accident, in which the loss of life has been variously estimated from three to eight lives occurred yesterday afternoon two miles from Glendene on the Transcontinental railway when a troop train left the rails and rolled down the embankment into the icy waters of Long Lake. The official list of dead is:

Lance-Corp D. W. Johnston, of Mimico, Ont.

Corporal G. E. Smith, Toronto.

Corp W. F. Stagg, Toronto.

It is estimated that between fifty and sixty of the soldiers were slightly injured, while Pte. Olsen and Pte. S. Winkworth are reported to be seriously injured. The accident is said to have been due to a split rail.

270 British Sailors Drown on Pleasure Voyage.

London, Jan. 1.—Two hundred and seventy sailors were drowned today, as the result of the loss of the British steamship Iolure, off Stornoway, Scotland.

The yacht had 300 sailors on board. They were on a New Year's holiday leave.

The vessel struck the dangerous rocks known as "The Bears of Helm," near Stornoway harbor, and only about 30 of them were saved.

Many of the survivors were terribly injured in their efforts to reach the shore. All of the officers and crew of the yacht were lost.

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THE GOOD NEWS FROM ENGLAND

There is solid ground for satisfaction in the return to power of Premier David Lloyd George with a twelve to one majority in his own seat and a more than four to one majority in Parliament. Such a decisive verdict has never been given by the people of Great Britain, and its significance under the present conditions is tremendous and hopeful.

Lloyd George's triumph means many things among them the vindication of a type of statesmanship from which great results have already come and from which still greater results may yet be expected. It means, too, that the British people have overwhelmingly approved the principal of coalition government in the situation now confronting them, and this in turn means that they have positively given the rebuff electoral to the principal of narrow partisanship, and little Englandism. They have said that they want none of it, and that the same kind of politics and the same form of government that brought the nation through the war shall now have opportunity to lead it out into peace again.

The champions of the old divisive spirit have been snowed under and to such a depth as it was not even guessed that England could accomplish. Lloyd George is too big a man to turn the laugh on the vanquished Asquith, but it is there without his turning. Until Great Britain has safely emerged from its present troubles and problems, political partisanship is dead, and constructive statesmanship has the right of way.

What Britain has done will undoubtedly have a great and healthful effect on Canada. The situation in the Dominion and the mother country are at bottom analogous and the natural result will be that sober and progressive Canadian citizens will say that what is good politics for the people of England and Scotland is good politics for them. That is to say, that coalition government during the reconstruction period has received a great and very tangible

impetus through the elections overseas.

The situation in Ireland is the only disturbing factor. Coalition was not the issue of the elections there, but Sinn Feinism against everything else. Seventy Irish Sinn Fein members have been returned, but they will not sit in the parliament, and are reported, instead to be looking in the direction of an Irish Republic. Whatever this may ultimately mean, the Irish situation will require most careful handling, and there will be reasons for some anxiety until the breach is healed. The victorious Lloyd-George and the government that will be associated with him, however, may be as safely enticed with the problem as any body of statesmen that ever grappled with a national dilemma.

On Beginning Well

To meet the coming year at our best demands not merely resolution but hope; we need confidence in the "kindly scheme of things" and in the task here for us to do, that, through all, faith may find inspiration for each experience. How shall we best begin our New Year. Not, surely, by underestimating our needs and difficulties; there is no easy escape from peril and struggle for any of us. Knowing this, as we have good reason to do these days, how can it be said, "Thou shalt not be afraid?" No man is at his best when he is afraid; our fears are veritable invitations to the very thing of which we are afraid. Yet our God promises steadiness of mind, and calmness in spirit to His people. Why not try that for the New Year? Here is a wish that excels all others, and it is for you and yours, the each may claim and experience what is the science of religion: "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on thee, because he trusteth in thee."

CHIROPRACTORS MEET

The semi-annual meeting of the Alberta Chiropractic Association was held in Edmonton on Monday, at the office of Dr. Harris. Beside

They Lie Where Lillies Bloom

They lie in France
Where lillies bloom;
Those flowers pale
That guard each tomb
Are faintly souls
That smiling stand
Close by them in
That married land
And mutely there the long night shadows creep
From quiet hills to mourn for them who sleep,
While o'er them through the dusk go silently
The grieving clouds that slowly drift to sea,
And lately round them moaned the Winter wind,
Whose voice lamenting, sounds so coldly kind,
Yet in their faith those waiting hearts abide
The time when turns forever that false tide.

In France they lie
Where lillies bloom
Those flowers fair
For them made room,
Not vainly placed
The crosses stand
Within that brave
And stricken land
Their honor lives,
Their love endures,
Their noble death
For the right assures.

For they shall have their hearts desire
They who, unflinching, braved the fire
Across the fields their eyes at last shall see
Through clouds and mist the hosts of victory.

As the usual routine business several questions of importance were brought up for discussion, the main issue being that of legislation. At present there are no laws in Alberta governing the practice of Chiropractic, and owing to the recent prosecution of the Chiropractors, several of the strongest and most prominent societies and organizations have passed resolutions to petition the government to recognize the science of Chiropractic. A committee composed of Dr. Harris of Edmonton, Dr. Clancy of Medicine Hat, and Dr. Messinger, of Calgary, were appointed by the association to draft a bill covering the practice of Chiropractic and to present same to legislature at the session in February.

Fairview News

We would notify various correspondents at Fairview that we cannot see any use in prolonging the controversy with connection to what they call "slackers." The Dominion Police will undoubtedly investigate any irregularities caused by non-registration, and we can safely leave this matter in their hands.

EXHIBITION MEETING

The adjourned meeting of the Central Alberta Exhibition Association, will be held in the town hall, Lacombe on Friday, Jan 10, 1919, at 2 p.m.

A. W. Sharp, President.
S. H. Welsh, Secretary.
Lacombe, January 1, 1919.

An Appreciation

American Consulate
Calgary, Alta. Dec. 30/18

Dear Mr. Halpin—

As the registration is practically over now and the Boards in the United States are closing their records, I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your assistance in the registration of Americans by publishing notices that were requested of you through Mr. N. N. Woody, Deputy Registrar for the Lacombe District, in connection with the registration at Lacombe. I have to say that in no district was the registration done better than by Mr. Woody and his assistants at Lacombe. The registration cards were models of correctness and neatness and all this work was done without compensation whatever.

With thanks again for your good work and well wishes for the New Year,

I am
Very respectfully yours
Samuel C. Reat.

Geo. Partridge Killed in Action

Word was received that George Partridge, well known to many in Lacombe, was killed in Action in France on November 1st. This young man was in the 30th Engineers, A.E.F., and had been in the fighting line for ten months. His brother W. T. Partridge, resides at astor.

Little Local Items

The Red Cross cake raffled by the Lacombe Cafe, was won by Guy Danner; Roy Plack came second and got a box of chocolates while Chas. Raymond came third capturing a half pound of chocolates. The cake brought a good sum for the Society, and the proprietors of the cafe have the thanks of the organization.

If you want your skates sharpened in the best possible manner, bring them to F. V. Parsons, Eclipse Pump Works, Nanton St.

"Flu" is very prevalent in town

some seventy or eighty cases being reported. As a consequence the New Year's festivities were of a mild nature.

The new large engine on the Bentley branch jumped the track a day or two ago, and was slightly damaged. The 22 short is now on the job and doing good work.

The snow storms of the past few days have put the roads in good shape for sleighs; and at the same time making going bad for cars.

E. L. Penney, manager of the Merchant's Bank at Clive, was a holiday visitor in Lacombe. He reports Clive as booming, and looks for a prosperous season in Pleasant Valley.



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